

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	
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Plaintiff,	:	CIVIL ACTION NO. 16-4465
	:	
v.	:	
	:	
DAVID M. BOWDEN,	:	
	:	
Defendant.	:	

ORDER

AND NOW, this 16th day of November, 2016, after considering the plaintiff's motion for an extension of time to serve the defendant (Doc. No. 4), it is hereby **ORDERED** that the request is **GRANTED** and the plaintiff shall have until **January 3, 2017**, to effectuate service on the defendant and file a proof of service.¹ Should the plaintiff fail to file a proof of service within the time period prescribed above, the court may dismiss this matter under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 4(m).

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Edward G. Smith
EDWARD G. SMITH, J.

¹ The court recognizes that due to the suggestion of death (Doc. No. 3), the plaintiff will have to move to substitute the named defendant.